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Assemblymember Juan Arambula
State Capitol, Room 6011
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Juan:

The City of Selma is in full support of the Highway 99 improvements identified in the Route 99 Corridor Business Plan. The six billion dollar funding level will assist the valley in developing infrastructure and prepare for future needs as our communities continue to grow. Our region has double digit unemployment, and to entice businesses to locate here, we need to construct the necessary roads and other infrastructure to accommodate their development.

We are currently working on a number of major development projects that are specifically looking at our City because of its location on Highway 99. These will bring thousands of additional travelers and area residents to stop here, as well as creating jobs that are needed.

Our community is located on Highway 99, and we feel the improvements will benefit all the cities in the entire county. Many businesses need adequate transportation systems, and this would assist in meeting this goal.

Sincerely,

D-B Heusser
City Manager